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generally: -BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW the Secretary of the Dock Company, the Pilot Fish will leave Peddar's Wharf on ZEALAND :- GOBDON & GOTOH, Mel-

CEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE 14th Instant, at 12 Noon, and 12.45 p.m., APOTHEGABLES Co., Colombo. for the FLACSHIP, which will be moored off SUNGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & Kowloon Point. Co., Square, Singapore. C. HELNEZEN

"HINA: Macau, F. A. DE ORUZ. Swatheo, Quelon & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle. Dorables & Hing Kee. Fonobine, Heber & Co. Shanghai, LINE, CHAWFORD & Co., and KELLY WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CHAW-YORD & Co., and KELLY & Co.

#### Bunks.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1. - The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their PORATION. premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

2. —Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4. Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7 .- Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book D are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

RESERVE FUND,......\$4,000,000

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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. after WEDNESDAY, the 12th Instant, on which date all VISITORS will be made cordi-

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 4, 1888

## Intimations.

NOTICE.

JEYE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit Purchasers, at Wholesale Prices. Extra special terms for Shipping and large orders. W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings. ROMINSON ROAD, KOWLOOM, five

Hongkong, October 1, 1888.

RAMBLE THROUGH SOUTHERN FORMOSA.—By Mr. G. TAYLOR. This Article, which has been reprinted from the China Review, contains one of the best Sketches of Formosan Life yet written. A few roughly-executed Woodcuts are included in the pamphlet.

May be had -- Price, \$1 -- at Messru. LANK, Chawrond & Co.'s, and Messrs. Kelly & Warner, Lengton, Hongkong; also, Mr. N.

Hongkong, March 3, 1888.

Intimations.

NOTIOE,

THE COMMITTEE of the VICTORIA RE-CATTA request the pleasure of the COMPANY of the LADIES of HONG-

KONG on board the FLAGSHIP on THURS.

DAY and FRIDAY, the 13th and 14th

CRICKET GROUND, which has been kindly

placed at their disposal by the CRICKET

OLUB COMMITTEE, on SATURDAY, the

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 13th and

REFRESHMENTS will be supplied on

TIFFIN will be provided by Messra.

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

INHE SECOND CALL of TEN DOLLARS

SHAREHOLDERS will please PAY the

AMOUNT due upon their Shares to the

HONGRONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COB-

Hongkong, December 10, 1888

31st Instant, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, December 10, 1888.

that the

CHEMICALS,

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 18th to the

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

LIMITED.

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DEG to announce to the Medical pro-

DISPENSING DEPARTMENT

THEIR BUSINESS

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entirely under the control of fully

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THE KOWLOON HOTEL

THE KOWLOON HOTEL will be

L OPENED to the PUBLIC on and

WINES and SPIRITS of the best

The HOTEL is situated about five

Arrangements have been made with the

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Proprietor of the steam launch Morning Star to run Special Night Trips, last boat

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AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES, also &

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minutes' walk from the landing.

Fures 10 Cents each way.

Hongkong, December 8, 1888.

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Fares 10 Cents each way.

Hongkong, December 8, 1888.

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TENNIS LAWN,

Hongkong, December 1, 1888.

ally welcome as Guests.

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TENNIS LAWN.

MEDICINES,

PEAN ASSISTANTS.

General Agents.

per Share is Due on the 20th day of

A. G. GORDON,

J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART

Hon. Secretary.

board the FLACSHIP to SUBSCRIBERS.

Hongkong, December 10, 1888.

December, 1888.

days inclusive.

33 of the Company.

By Order,

Through the courtesy of Mr. Gillies,

won at the Regatta will be distributed.

Business Notices.

.CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

# Jaunay's Champagnes.



SEC, MEDIUM DRY AND AGLUCOSE.

Sole Agents for HONGKONG & CHINA. Hongkong, December 5, 1888.

Shipping.

Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship

Merionethshire,
Capt. Dowling, will be
despatched for the above Ports on the 12th Instant For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.Hongkong, December 5, 1888.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR KOBE (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong, Captain HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 13th Instant, at

4 o'Clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, December 10, 1888. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA. The Steamship

Camorta,
Captain Fyre, will be despatched as above on or about the 14th Instant. The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, December 10, 1888. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain RILEY, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 15th Instant Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed one cent per packet per dient. OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiera in exchange for Coupon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Paris or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to Lon-

don occupies about the same time. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, December 6, 1888.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Sarpedon,
Capt. Chrimes, will I
despatched as above SATURDAY, the 15th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, December 6, 1888.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Ancona
will leave for the above

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

places on SATURDAY, 22nd December, at E. L. WOODIN, Superintervient.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 10, 1888.

THE OHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship J. C. Jaques, Comm'der, will be despatched as

Hougkong, December 10, 1888.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. Amer. Barque

For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 3, 1888.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

HAVE This Day RESUMED CHARGE.

Secretary. Hongkong, December 6, 1888.

Notices to Consignees.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Guadalostiver and Guadiana, from Antwerp ex Stoamship Romanul, from Havre ex S.S. Guadiana. are hereby informed that their Goods -with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 p.m. To-DAY (Thursday), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Thurs-DAY, the 13th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 15th Inst., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 13th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods 2059 are to be left in the Golowns, where they will be examined on the 13th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 6, 1888.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG AND BATAVIA.

GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at West Point. whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

they will not be recognized.

Hongkong, December 5, 1888.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Mrs. D'ALMADA REMEDIOS, to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY.

the 12th December, 1888, at 2 p.m., at her Pesidence, Baxter House East,-THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

comprising: CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM

BLACKWOOD INLAID MARBLE-TOP, ROUND CENTRE TABLE, CHIMNEY GLASSES, COLOUR-ED PIOTORES, MARRIE MANTEL-PIECE CLOCK.

CARSETS and HEARTH RUGS. DINING TABLE, CHIFFONIER with GLASS, WHATNOTS, DINKER, DESSERT and TEA SETS, GLASS and PLATED WARE, VIENNA CHAIRS, GLASS BOOA CARES and TEARWOOD

DINING-ROOM SUITE. DOUBLE BRASS BEDSTEAD, SINGLE IRON BEDSTEAD, CHILD'S BRAS SWINGING COT. WARDROBES with GLASS DOORS, CHEST OF DRAWERS, ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT LADY'S

DAVENPORT, BUREAU with GLASS, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND with GLASS. 4 VERY OLD COLOURED PICTURES in Miniature.

1 PARLOUR BILLIARD TABLE. 1 JINRICKSHA.

1 SEDAN CHAIR. &c. ,  $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{C}}\mathbf{C}_{*}$ 

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 5, 1888.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 530.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction,

to be held on the Spot, THURSDAY, the 13th day of December, 1888, at 3 p.m., are published for general information. By Command,

ARATHOON SETH. for the Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on THURSDAY, the 13th day of December, 1888, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75

Particulars of the Lot.

Boundary Measureg Registry Locality. ments. у. в. в. w. 55 ft. ft. ft. ft. Rural Building Aberdren 80 800 800 800 800 90,000 104 900 No. 71

PUBLIC AUCTION.

/INHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

(Without Reserve).

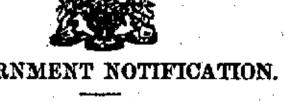
In small Lots to suit Purchasers. A QUANTITY OF

comprising: LADY'S COSTUMES, DRESS MATERIALS. JACKETS, WOOLLES UNDER-CLOTHING, BOY'S JERSEY SUITS, HOOTS and SHOES, HOSIERY, GENTLEMEN'S UNDER-CLOTHING, TWEEDS. COATINGS, RUGS, REMNANTS OF CARPETS,

A VARIETY OF

OTHER GOODS. The above will be on view on Friday TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery...

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 8, 1888.



No. 548.

ITHE following Particulars of SALE of 1 OROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, TUESDAY, the 18th day of December, 1888, at 4 p.m., are published for general information.

ARATHOON SETH. for the Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 10th December, 1888. 2074 Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Tuesday,

999 years. Particulars of the Lots.

Locality In- Lane, (Hu land Wan, near Lot the old Pro-1,210 metery, 160 16.1 160 140 150 24,450 250 ft ft ft. ft. 180 180 50 50 9,000 183 2047 2 1,211 Do.,

Cannon Street, E.C.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports 15th Instant, at 4.30 p.m., when the Prizes

hourne and Sydney.

NOTICE.

ning of July. 6 .- Correspondence as to the business of

Chief Manager. Hongkong, September 1, 1881.

CORPORATION. THIS DEPARTMENT, being considered

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$ \$7,500,000

L. Poesnecker, Esq. J. F. HOLLEBAY, Esq. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. Hon. B. LAYTON.

Credits granted on approved Securities.

leaving Kowloon at Midnight. THE Undersigned have This Day been CITUATED on GARDEN LOT, No. 55,

Stor to run Special Night Trips, last boat leaving Rowloon at Midnight. Moarte, Amoy.

Business Notices.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FIRST SHIPMENTS OF Christmas Delicacies.

NEW SEASON'S PUDDING FRUITS in bulk. CULTANA and PUDDING RAISINS, ZANTE CURRANTS, PEELS, &c.

SHELL ALMONDS, BRAZIL AND BARCELONA NUTS. PRIME RIPE STILTON CHEESE in jars. CANADIAN, EDAM, ROCHFORT, GORGONZOLA AND STILTON CHEESE.

CHOCOLATE CREAMS.

BUTTER SCOTCH, COCOANUT ICE, EVERTON TOFFER, LEMON TOFFER, TURKISH DEMORT.

SMYRNA FIGS.

CONFECTIONERY. FONDANTS, DRAGEES, FRUIT PATES, PASTILLES, NOUGATIN: 8, LEGUMES, &c., &c.

COSAQUES AND BONBONS. Hongkong, November 24, 1888.

TTALL SILK HATS. L " DRAB FELT HATS. BLACK, BROWN, DRAB and GREY HARD FELT HATS.

Tweed Hars and Cars in TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED new shapes, from the 15th to the 20th Instant, both STRAW and PITH HATS. SILK UMBRELLAS, from \$5, INTEREST at the Rate of 12 % per annum will be charged on all Calls paid over 10 to choose from. Walking Sticks, a very after the 20th Instant as per Article No. large assortment. WATERPROOF COATS, LEG-GINGS and CHAIR APRONS.

MANTS.

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Fine Black DIAGONAL and Solid LEATHER PORTMAN-CORRECTE OF Dress Suits. Black, Blue & Brown Fancy and Check DIAGONAL TERAL and other SOFT FELTS. COATINGS. Fancy and Check TWEED

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variety of Stripes, Checks, CRICKETING FLANNELS, Checks, Stripes & Plain. French Printed SHIRTINGS. Unshrinkable FLANNEL Travelling Rugs & Scotch SHIRTINGS. OVER COATINGS, light and

OVERLAND TRUNKS, GLAD-STONE BAGS, and a variety of Travelling Cases, all SILE &-Hose, Black, Navy SUITINGS. and Colours Trouserings, in a great Lamb's Wool, Merine and

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Winter, Medium and Summer Under Vests and Over Coatings, Ulater READY-MADE ULSTERS IN

Lisle Thread &-Hose. White Dress Shirts. SHOES.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Proprietors.

FOOT-BALL and POLO JERSEYS.

Lacing & E. S. Boors and SHOOTING BOOTS, RUBBER Patent Leather Boom and DANCING PUMPS, all sizes. Large Stock of SCARFS, TIES,

HANDERBCHIEFS, BLACES. ROBT. LANG & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1888.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. I THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horses in the place. DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far Bast.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and servez in the spacious,

Victoria Hotel.

large DINING HALL. fession, and to the European and The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. Chinese Community of Hongkong, The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

> POWELL EX STEAMSHIPS GLENARTNEY AND CLYDE. NIEW DRESS MATERIALS.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

PHOTO FRAMES. LATEST NOVELTIES in Box COSTUMES. FANCY BRONZE WARE. NEW TRIMMED and UNIRIMMED HATS. FUR COLLARS, TIES and SETS. Ulsters and Jackets. CARDIGAN JACKETS and VESTS.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, November 26, 1888.

BALL DRESS SETS. SILK. KID and SUEDE GLOVES. CORSETS and CHILDREN'S STAY BANDS. Toys!! Toys:

Intimations. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel on WEDNESDAY, the 19th Instant, at 4 p.m., when the sub-

joined Resolution which was passed at the

General Meeting of the Company held This

Day, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution. RESOLUTION. That the Company do purchase for the sum of \$25,000, a selected block of 5.000 acres of land in British North Borneo in the vicinity of the Company's present land, and for that purpose and to provide for the development of the said land, that the

the 1st March, 1889, and the balance at such time as the Board shall determine. N.B.—On Confirmation of the above Re-

Capital of the Company be increased

by the issue of 1,000 Shares at \$50

per share, of which \$25 shall be paid

pp on allotment, \$15 per share on

TWO First-class English and ONE solution the following proposal will be submitted to the Shareholders :-parts of any such New Shares which of declaring Dividend. may accrue to any allottees, the The Transfer BOOKS of the Company Directors shall invite Public Tender | will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st for the Shares composed of such Instant, both days inclusive. fractional parts and Sell the same to the highest bidder, and any profit which may arise from such Sale shall be distributed in due proportion

amongst the several allottees of such

By Order of the Directors, H. SHEPPARD, Secretary. Hongkong, December 3, 1888. No. 7, WYNDHAM STERET.

TOOARD AND RESIDENCE.

A PRIVATE SITTING ROOM.

FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN,

fractional parts.

MRR. KJELLER, Proprietress. Hongkong, Beptember 26, 1888.

Intimations. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

W. POWELL & Co.

Toys!!!

RACE MEETING-1889. HONGKONG DERBY. CIWEEPSTAKES of \$20 each, Half forfeit, if declared on or before day of CLOSING ENTRIES, with \$100 added for lat Pony, and \$50 per 2nd. For all China Ponies bond fide Grittins at date of Entry (SATURDAY 19th January, 1889). First Pony, 70 per cent; Second Pony, 20 per

NOMINATIONS CLOSE to the CLERK OF THE COURSE at the CLUB on SATUR-DAY, the 22nd December. H. J. H. TRIPP. Clerk of the Course.

cent; Third, 10 per cent. Weight 10st.

10hs. One mile and a half.

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, November 22, 1888. 2069

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Fourth Ordinary Genmal MEET-I ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the That the New Shares be allotted amongst above Company will be held in the Hongthe Shareholders registered on the Kong Horek on FRIDAY, the 21st In-Books of the Company on the 20th stant, at 11 o'Clock forencon, for the December, 1888, in the proportion purpose of receiving the Report of the of One New to every Three Old General Managers, and Statement of Shares; and that as to fractional Accounts to the 30th November, 1888, and

> Hongkong, December 1, 1888. COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

TO ESIDENTS in the Colony would

It materially aid the SENATE of the

Student's Reading Room and Library. Address to JAMES CANTLIE Hon. Sec. to the College.

Hongkong, August 7, 1888,

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers.

COLLEGE by forwarding to the Alica MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (1). Glass Jara (for museum purposes).
(2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the above on or about the 26th Instant. For Freight, &c., apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

H. G. Johnson, COLEZ, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

Notice of Firm.

W. H. RAY,

STEAMSHIP NATAL.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. and from Bordeaux ex Steamship Marie, in connection with the above Steamer.

Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Hongkong, December 6, 1888. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. IIHE Steamship Duplow, Captain Voss,

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Morkow, the 7th Instant. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON PIER AND GODOWN Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

11HE Company's Steamship Camorta, having arrived from the above Porte, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkono & Kowloon Wharf &

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 18th of Instant, otherwise Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agento.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

the 15th Docember, 1888, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-

SURPLUS DRAPERY GOODS

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

By Command.

the 18th day of December, 1888, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of Two Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of

### Entertainments.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL. /INHE AMERICÁN MUSICAL COMEDY AND OPERA COMPANY.

Directors: MESSES. P. W. WILLARD AND JOHN F. SHERIDAN. EVENING.

11th December, 1888, POSITIVELY LAST TIME OF THE FAMOUS MUSICAL COMEDY IN 3 ACTS.

FUN ON THE 'BRISTOL.' CAST OF CHARACTERS.

His World | Mr John F renowned ori- } SHERIDAN ginal creation Dora McAtlistor ..... Miss Vera Putey Nora O'Brion......, Mande Have Bella Thompson......, G. Whtteford Captain Cranberry ....... ,, A. Sutch Thomas Cranberry....... , C. Fisher Richard Sparks ...... ,, W. Cripps John Jones..... , W. Hassan Pinkerton Hawkshaw ..... J. Manning

ACT L.-HOME OF WIDOW O'BRIEN. ACT II. -SALOON OF STR. BRISTOL. Act III - NIGHT ON THE OCEAN. Conductor ...... Mr. J. A ROBERTSON. THURSDAY NEXT, Dec. 13th, COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT TO Mr and Mrs FISHER (Miss ELO

MORRISON), when will be produced THE TRIAL BY JURY, THE WATERMAN

THE 1st ACT OF RUDDIGORE. Hongkong, December 11, 1888. G. CHIARINI'S ROYAL

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L. MAYA, Hongkong, December 11, 1888. 2058



MIRE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY WILL PERFORM

GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S OPERETTA

'IOLANTHE,

## THURSDAY,

SATURDAY, the 20th and 22nd December.

Doors open at 8.30, Performance to begin at 9 o'Clock p.m. Tickets for the Second Performance may be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawfort

& Co.'s, on and after Thursday, the 13th Instant. Price, 82 each. R. LYALL,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, December 10, 1888.

### Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-

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Hongkong, October 19, 1888. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY,

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, July 15, 1887. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during op.m. the day previous to sailing. their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-ALTAIR, British barque, Capt. T. Munro.

-Wieler & Co. RAPHAEL, American ship, Captain E. W. Harkness, -Order.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

Superintendent

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamshin will leave for the whove place TO-MORROW, 12th December, at E. L. WOODIN,

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkoug, Decomber 11, 1888. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain HALL, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 13th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 11, 1888.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

The Co, 's Steamship  $Whampoa_{+}$ HARRIS, Commander, For the New Oriental Bank Corporation, will be despatched as Limited, above on THURSDAY, the 13th Instant,

The attention of Presengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer, which is situated amidships upon the upper Deck. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents.

Hongkong, December 11, 1888.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship Captain F. Schulz, will he despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 13th Inst.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1888. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

VOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Poa.

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers,

Ports on FRIDAY, the 14th Instant, at

Hongkoug, December 11, 1888. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. The Company's Steamer Phra Chom Klao,
Captain W. H. WATTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 14th Inst.

at 8 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, December 11, 1888. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE. Calling at PORT DARWIN. & QUEENS LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Guthrie. Captain Chaic, will be

Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co..

Hongkong, December 11, 1888.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, VIA

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING

RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship PARTHIA 1 3,167 Tons Register, WALLACE, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOU-VER, B.C., viá AMOY, KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 13th December, at Noon.

To be followed by the S.S. ABYSSINIA on the 10th January, and S.S. BATAVIA, on the 7th February. Connection will be made at Yekohama with Steamers from Shanghar and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Fran-

cisco, by the regular Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Eares granted as follows :---To Vancouver & Victoria, Mex. \$160.00 To San Francisco... ... 175.00 To all common points in Canada and the United States To Liverpool ... ... 300.00

To London ... ... ... To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points in the United States.

should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3,000 Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. on the 12th December. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full and the same will be received by us until

For information as to Passage or Freight. apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, December 11, 1888.

NOTICE. T HAVE This Day taken Solo CHARGE of Mr. A. COXON'S Business. G. S. COXON.

WITH Reference to the above, I have This Day COMMENCED BUSINESS 85 SHARE & GENERAL BROKER.

\* E. J. COXON. Hongkong, December 10, 1888.

REGATTA HOLIDAYS. ITHE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction o Public Business at Noon on THURSDA! and FRIDAY, the 13th and 14th Justant,

For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, Loudon and China, JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Aus-

tralla and China,

T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ing Corporation, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris, ORANTRY INCHBALD, Agent, Hongkong.

SHIPPING.

Hongkong, December 11, 1888. ... 2085

E. W. RUTTER,

Manager, Hongkong.

ARRIVALS.

December 10, 1888 :--Peshawur, British steamer, 2,136, L. H. Moule, London October 25, and Singapore December 5, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co.

December 11:— Guthric, British steamer, 1,700, H Criag, Adelaide November 3. Sydney 19. Brisbane 17, Cooktown 21, Thursday Island 24, and Port Darwin December 1, Coal and General.

—Russell & Co. Choysany, British steamer, 1,151, Balbernie. Wuhu Dec. 5, Rice.-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Kwang Lee, Chinese str., 1,508, R. M. Andrew, Shanghai December 6, and Swatow and Fuyew. 10. General.—C. M. S. N. Co. Namoa, British str., 863, T. G. Pocock, Foothow December 7, Amoy 8, and Swatow 10. General — Douglas Steamship Co. Ningpo, German steamer, from Wham-

Crusader, British steamer, 647, J. Ogston, Iloilo December 6, Sugar. - BUTTERFIELD

DEPARTURES.

December 11:-Fokien, for Coast Ports. Pathan, for Singapore and Sydney. Chow Fa. for Bangkok. Clara, for Haiphong. Anton, for Holhow and Pakhoi. Primaumet, French corvette, for a cruise. Lady Harewood, for Rajang Rattler. British gunboat, for a cruise. Kwang Lee, for Whampoa. Choysang, for Whampoa. Berenice, for Singapore and Bombay. Dafila, for Amoy and Manila. Yangtsze, for Shanghai.

Venetia, for Singapore and Bombay. CLEARED. Swan, for Yap.

Hever, for Nagasaki. Soochow, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Peshawar, for Hongkong : from London, Mr Brewin, Surg. Craig, Surg. Hage, Lieut. H. Thompson, and Mrs Bondfield's amah; from Bombay, Miss Sexton; from Colombo, Miss L. Brown, Mr Thomas's 3 children; from Penang, Rev. W. D. Ashdown; from Singapore, Messrs J. Ricalton and A. Wagner and 4 Chinese. For Shanghai: from London, Mr and Mrs Brand 3 children and 2 female servants, Mrs Tisdall, child and infant, Rev. T. Stevenson Mrs and Miss Stovenson, Miss Carter and child, Mesars Marshall, Armstrong, Duffy, Ewbank, McNair, Stein and Gatrell, Miss Edger, Mrs Henderson and child; from Penang, Mr Oong Keng Beng and native servant; from Singapore, Mr W. Jackson. For Yokohama : from London, Miss Duff ; from Brindisi, Mr A. R. Rrown; from

Stocks.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. aug, Mr R. W. Maxwell and native servant. Mr H. A. Thompson and native acreant. Per Guthrie, from Sydney, Mrs G. R.

Stevens and S children, Mrs Neidhardt, Mesers J. Howell, E. Hanson, E. Jackson, H. Stokes, Quong Tart, J. Walker, R. du Misnil, G. W. Tindall, F. Fregathan, and D. Chioveate, 17 Maleys, and 210 Chinese. Per Choysant, from Wuhu, 13 Chinese. Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, Mr O. Brandt, I Europeau, and 120 Chinese. Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs Dyer and Ling, and 136 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Lady Harewood, for Rajang, 1 Fihi-

Per Pathan, for Singapore, 6 Europeans. Por Chow Fa, for Bangkok, 5 Europeans, ind 15 Chinese Per Clara, for Haiphong, 20 Chinese. Per Berenice, for Singapore, 2 Europeans

and 427 Chinese. Per Yangtsze, for Shanghai, 10 Chinese. Per Venetia, for Singapore, Messra T. Barrados and Ngan King Hin. Per Fokien, for Tamsui, Messrs Wm. Crockart and Peter Crichton, and Master

McInnes.

TO DEPART. Per Anadyr, from Hongkong: for Saigon, 21 Chinese; for Batavia, Mr E. B. Jorey ; for Colombo, Mr E. Wertheimber ; for Marseilles, Messrs E. Philippe, W. H. Walters and J. M. Orable. For Saigon from Yokohama, Messrs Audouard and Langard. For Singapore : from Yokohama, Mr Baird; from Shanghai, Mr Ed. Wheen, Mrs Gray, infant and servant. For Marseilles: from Shanghai, Messra Syawady. Etienne, Valentin, Sharples and Reynaud from Yokohama, Messra Paterson, Arakawa, Fouronith Roy, Nakayama, Count Yamagata (Japanese Minister), Mr Funakoshi, Colonel Hirosa, Lieut. Colonel Nakamma. Lieut. -Colonel Osaka Mesars Kako, Gautsch. Terozahi, Marita, Sughi, Kanasaghi, Niko

Per Souchow, for Holhow, 50 Chinese.

miya and Araki : from Kobe, Mr Kansichi

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Chinese steamer Kwang Les reports: From Shanghai via Swatow, on the 6th

instant, had moderate monsoon and over-The British steamer Namoa reports Left Foochow on the 7th instant; had fresh N.E. winds, and fine weather to Amoy Left Amoy on the 8th, and Swatow on the 10th instant; from Amoy to Swatow, light variable winds and cloudy weather; and from Swatow to port, moderate N.E. winds and cloudy weather. In Foochow, 3 Chi. A. nese war vesse's, and Revenue cruiser Ling Fing. Steamers in Swatow, Holhow

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL -Per Peshawur, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday. the 12th inst. (Late Letters 11.10 to Per Fooksang, at 2.30 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 12th inst. For AMOY & MANILA.— Per Don Juan, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 12th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet Anadyr will be despatched on WEDNESDAY the 12th Instant, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt,

Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS

When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the Hongkong, eldest son of the late P. F. English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office

will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock

if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way)

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes. TAT-LATE LETTERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

Colombo, Sarg. H. H. Brown; from Pen-Closing Quotationis, | Paid-

Dec. 11, 1868. SHARE LIST. -QUOTATIONS. Nos. of Value. all |157, buyers

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60,000 \$ Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 \$ 25 871 83.33 8 China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24,000 50 Tis. 2871 North-China Insurance Co., Ld..... 5,000 £ Yangtaze Insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 £ 200|\$165, buyers Chinese Insurance Co., Limited...... 1,500 50 1971, buyers Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld..... 10,000 \$ 20.8231, buyers The Straits Insurance Co., Ld...... 30,000 50 8340 Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld... 8,000 20|878, buyors China Fire Insurance Co., Ld....... |20,000|\$ The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ 20,817, buyers 20 \$16, sellers Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$

all \$38 % prem., buyers H'kong & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 12,500 STEAMBOAT COMPANIES. all 120 % prem., buyers HK. O. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld. 40,000 8 all 17 % prem., buyers Indo-China S. N. Company, Limiteo 60, 000 E 50 all \$65, buyers Douglas Steamship Co., Limited .... 20,000 \$ China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld..... 3,500

MISCRLLAMEOUS. all \$194, buyers Ohioa Sugar Company, Limited...... 15,000 100 all \$92 Luzon Sugar Company, Limited .... 7,000 \$ Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan } 40,000 all \$81, buyers Mining Co. Société Française des Charbon-500 Fs. 500 110 % prem., buyers nages du Tonkin ..... 11 71 % prem., buyers HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 100 % prem. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited...... all par., buyers all Cruickshank & Co., Limited...... Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt .... all \$170, ex div., nominal 3.000 abs. issued ..... HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. \$130, nominal New Shares..... all 894, buyers Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... 5,000

all \$85, nominal Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ... all all \$131, buyers Hongkong Dairy Farm Co..... 100 \$ 50 \$300 % prem., nominal HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,2 0 Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 10 all \$11 East Borneo Planting Co., Limited | 3,000 f 25% dis. on \$20-\$15 per Austin Arms Hotel and Building } khare Company, Limited ......

100 \$ 501 % prem. China-Borneo Company, Limited ... 7,000 9 Chinese Imperial 1884 B. .... 8, 565 \$ all 3 % prem. all 5 % prem. > nominal 50C 1700,000 Tl. 250 4 % prem 1886 Bretterretterret

Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. ... 5,000 8

MAILS will close:-

For HAIPHONG.-Per Marie, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday. the 12th inst.

For SWATOW. Per Formosa, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 12th inst. For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. -Per Deuteros, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,

the 13th icat. For BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MEL-BOURNE. Per Whampon, at 11:30 a.m., on Thursday, the 13th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For KOBE .-the 13th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW Per Namoa, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the

13th inst. For KOBE .-13th inst. instead of as previously

For SAIGON .--Per Devawongse, at 3.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 15th inst. FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL-LE. BRISBANE, SYDNEY. MEL-BOURNE, ADELAIDE, &c., &c.-Per Guthrie, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Ancona, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 21st inst. MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

the 19th inst.

Shipping. Noon. - Peshawur leaves for Shanghai. Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Merionethshire leaves for Nagasaki, &c.

Auctions. 2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture. &c., at the residence of Mrs. D'Almada Remedies, Baxter House East.

Amusements. 9 p.m.—Chiarini's Royal Italian Circus and Menagerie.

Goods per Camoria undelivered after thi date subject to rent.

WE HAVE RECEIVED

Miscellaneous.

FURTHER SUPPLY

GOODS, viz .....

ROSE PRALINES, VANILLA PRALINES, BUTTER SCOTCH. EVERTON TOFFEE

MUSCATELS, JORDAN ALMONDS

CHOCULATE, CHOCOLATE CREMES. CHOCOLATE MENIER

FRENCH, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

SWEETS.

RIMMELS. FLORAL & ROSE WATER CRACKERS, &c., &c. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.,

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. December 4th, 1888. MARRIAGES. Savoy, by the Rev. Henry White, M.A.,

Chaplain of the Savoy, and Chaplain in ELLEN, eldest daughter of John Thomas Bastone, of Wellington-street, Strand, Lon-On the 7th Nov., at St. Mary Abbot's, Kensington, by the Rev. R. Thornton,

D.D., CHARLES WALTER RICHARDS, Richards, of Shanghai, to MABEL JESSE youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Tibbs, of Gwendwr-road, West Kensington, W.

The publication of this usue commences The China Atlail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1888. TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL'] (Via Southern Line.) THE PANAMA CANAL

LONDON, Dec. 9. A Cabinet Council is discussing a scheme to provide funds for the completion of the Panama Canal.

THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION Brookwood, Surrey, replaces Wimbledon (From Singapore Papers.)

London, Dec. 2nd .- Mr Balfour's Irish Land Purchase Bill has been read a third time in the House of Communs.

PARLIAMENT.

LOCAL AND GENERAL PASSED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND:—Cascapedia, Exe, Oct. 30; Diomed, Polyhymnia, 16; Bengloe,

eagles, Stentor, Dec. 4. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Moray, October 19 Antenor, Benurty, Glentyon, Priam, Nestor, Spindrift, 27; Telamon, Glamorganshire, Glencoe (1), Glenfinlas Ningchow, Dec. 4.

20 ; Glenearn, 23 ; Oxus, Telemachus,

27 ; Bayern, Benlaicers, Glenavon, Glen-

expected here on or about Tuesday, the 18th inst. The Shire Line steamer Merionelhabire. from London, &c., left Singapore on the 4th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 11th inst.

The P. M. Co.'s steamer City of Sydney

with the AMERICAN MAIL of Nov. 1

12th instant, at daylight, and may be

The Navegazione Generale Italiana Co.'s steamer Stura left Singapore for this port on the 5th inst., and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 12th inst. The O. S. S. Co. steamship Sarpedon, from

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 5th

instant, and may be expected here on

or about the 12th instant. The Cambian Pacific Line steamer Abus for Hongkong on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on or about the

THE s. s. Propontis, from Cape Town and the introduction of a small percentage of Mauritius, left Singapore on 6th inst. for Hongkong, and may be expected here on or about the 13th inst.

the 6th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 14th inst. steamer Chingsoo, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on the 9th

or about the 16th inst. The Canadian Pacific Co.'s steamer Albany left Vancouver for Yokohama and Hongkong on the 4th inst.

THE Agent of the Pacific Mail S. S. Per Haiphong, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, informs us that the S. S. City of Sydney, with mails &c. from San Francisco to the 17th ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama, and will sail for this port to-morrow (12th).

Per Thyra, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the Perer Mansu, third officer on the steamer Venetic, while strolling along Wellington Street last night, playfully tapped the nose of an Indian watchman with his stick and caused the organ to bleed. Mr Pollock this morning assessed the damage at \$3, THE Vicercy of Canton has promised. we which sum Mr Marsh at once handed over.

THE Hongkong Volunteers are requested to parade at Headquarters on Wednesday, the 26th instant (Boxing Day), at 10 a.m. It is proposed to take the 7-pounder battery to Kowloon and carry out shell prac- dons, it was decided to proceed with the tice at targets. After tiffin, Surgeon formation of the company, with a capital of Cantlie will put the Ambulance Corps through the stretcher drill.

THE Band will play at the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks, this evening, commencing at 7.45 o'clock. The following will be the programme :-

Selection., Belisario ...... Fantaria. Golden Legend ...... Jone Money, Bandmaster, THE following are the Orders of the day for

the meeting of Council to-morrow:-

1. Financial Minutes. 2. First reading of a Bill to amend The Reformatory Schools Ordinance, 1886. 3. Second reading of the Bill entitled The Merchant Shipping Ordinance Amendment Ordinance, 1888. 4. Second reading of the Bill to amend the Powers of Police Magistrates. 5. Committee on the Bill to amend

Ordinance 6 of 1887. THE provisions of Ordinance 13 of 1888, and particularly of Section 8 thereof, were deeply impressed on the minds of a few Chinese gentlemen by Police Magistrate-Pollock to-day. Messra Lam Lo Yan, Ng for him there, as there was only one small Kwong and Wan Fuk Iu, appeared before his Worship at the instance of the Registrar General for having failed to furnish the But at Hankow he is informed by the necessary information with regard to their British Consul there, that a despatch has occupancy of certain houses. Mr Charles Osmond, of the Registrar General's depart instructions from the Tsungli Yamen to ment, stated that the first and second defendants had been in occupat on of the Ichang, to draw up rules for the regulation 2040 house No. 4 Jubiles Street, (part of which of the steamer's progress. These rules. is a Chinese Club), since 18th September | when drawn up and the Tsungli Yamen last and had made no report of their occu- of Mr Gregory's ever arriving at the On the 6th Nov., in the Chapel Royal, pancy. The other defendant was one of momentous decision involved in the taskthe occupants of No. 202 Queen's Road are to be approved by the Hukuang Ordinary to the Queen, Thomas HENRY West, where another Chinese Club flour. They will then be published for general PHIN SMITH HUMPHREYS, of Hongkong, to ishes, and had been similarly remiss. His information, and then a pass will be issued Worship imposed a fine of \$50 on each of the defendants, and granted a warrant for the arrest of a man named Wan Chung Fan who had been summoned in connection with the latter case but did not appear.

Mr. Quong Tart, the well-known Chinese

merchant of Sydney, arrived in Hongkong

to-day by the s. s. Guthrie. He is, accord-

ing to an Australiam exchange, to make a semi-official visit to Canton, and perhaps presenting to the Imperial authorities there the position of the Chinese Question in and commercial relations of the two countries. Mr Quong Tart arrived in New age, and has spent over twenty-five years in cation, and embraced the Christian faith, becoming a member of the Church of Engmining pursuits he achieved such a measure of success that, in 1882, he was able to. realise on his various holdings to considerable advantage, and made a trip to China while there he perfected business arrangements, and, on his return to Sydney in the same year, commenced his present business as a ten and silk merchant. While in China his services on behalf of his countrymen in peror, who elevated him to the dignity of a mandarin of the fifth rank. In connection | Meeks (Gibbs, Bright, and Co.) with his business as a tea merchant he has THE REPEAL OF THE C. D. OBDINANCES IN opened refreshment-rooms in prominent CryLox. In the course of a long debate on positions in Sydney, and has so established this subject in the Legislative Council of himself in public favour that he receives a very large share of patronage, and has auc- respect to this matter. If Ceylon were ceeded remarkably well. Although em- entirely an independent country, an island Nov. 20; Benledi, Neckar, Hector, 23; ploying a large number of hands he has only one Chinaman amongst them. During the anti-Chinese agitation in New South Wales Mr Tart, who possessed the confidence of the Europeans if anything in istoleave Yokohama on Wednesday, the greater measure than he did that of hissewn countrymen, proved of great service to both sides by assisting to smooth over roughness as this ordinance or a similar one was mainand explain away misunderstanding. official letter which he received from Sir Henry Parkes, the Chief Secretary of New South Wales, explains his mission, and a manner introduces him to the authorities in the colonies through which he may pass. Mr Quong Tart says that he will be able to state confidently that the recent agitation has not been entirely a racial question of Australian versus Chinese, but tather the

Chiramen to undertake odds and ends of work that may be beneath the notice of The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s steamer Tai. European labourers, such as gardening in sang, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the back blocks, cooks on out-stations, and other menial work, may be useful, yet it -The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s would be very easy to swamp the demand for such labour, and thereby injuriously ininstant, and may be expected here on terfere with the European labour market. He recommends that the Chinese in Australia should be put under the control of responsible headmen, and says that if the Lodging House Act of New South Wales were enforced, the expense of living would be so increased as would compel the Chinese to demand wages nearer the European standard. He is a strong advocate of the suppression of the opium traffic and Chinese, gambling. What he complains most of with regard to the recent action of the colonies is the prevention of Chinese, whether naturalized or not, crossing from one colony to snother. no matter whether on business or pleasure. or even for the purpose of visiting sick relatives, and looks upon it as a hardship that

> read, \$3,000,000, out of the Tis. 6,000,000 demanded by the Peking Government for the contribution of Kwangtung province towards the Yellow River reparation fund.

> Ar a meeting held in Shanghai on the 3rd instant, of the Committee appointed for the formation of the Chinese Zoological Gar-Tis. 150,000 in shares of Tis. 100 each.

THE following items are from Australian papers :- The Chinese in Queensland are petitioning the authorities at Cauton, seeking assistance in recovering compensation for damages received during the elections. and referring to the border grievances.-The Melbourne larriking have killed a Chinaman.—The Melbourne Assembly. with three dissentients rejected a motion approving the action of the other colonies on the appointment of Governors question, and sang the National Anthem. The Premier (Hon. D. Gillies) cabled the news to London.—The China Navigation Company have refused to dispense with their Chinese crews to please the Maritime Council.-Sir Thomas McIlwraith retires from the Premiership of Queensland taking the position of Vice President of the Executive Council. The Hon. D. B. Morehead has been appointed Premier, and Patterson, Treasurer.

THE N.-C. Daily News says :- The Taungli Xamen's resources of delay are absolutely unequalled, and quite beyond any powers that Sir John Walsham may p ssess to baffle. When Mr A. J. Little left Poking some two months ago, he was assured by the British Minister that the permit for the Kuling to ascend the river to Change king was all ready, and that if he went up to Ichang, he would probably find it waiting point unsettled, which would not involve any material delay. Mr Little has gone up the river, and the Kuling is ready to start. come from the Taotai, to the effect that the Vicercy of the Hukuang has received send an official to confer with Mr. Gregory, the British dummy representative at must have laughed in its sleeve at the idea Viceroy and his colleague of Szechnen. to the Kuling. This obviously means a delay of several months, or practically of a year, as the favourable season is thus irretrievably lost this year.

THE 'GUTHERS' AND THE BALMAIN RE-

GATTA, - We observe from the Sydney He-

raid that the B. S. Guthrie was the flagship at the Balmain Regatta, Sydney. The Herald, in the course of the description. save :- Tiffin was served on board the Guthrie at 1 o'clock, when a large number of those present were accommodated in the saloon. There was an entire absence of speech-making. A little later on an inter-Pekin, principally with the intention of re- esting ceremony took place on the poop of the steamer, when Mr E. H. Buchanan, acting on behalf of the Balmain regatta committes, presented a handsome liqueur stand to Australia, and its bearing on the friendly Captain Craig. It bore the following inscription: - Balmain Regatts, 1888. E. and A. S. S. Guthrie flagship. Presented to Captain Hugh Craig by the committee as a South Wales when a boy of nine years of souvenir of the above regatta. In making the presentation, the Mayor of Balmain alluded to the kindness of the captain and that colony. He received an English edu- agents in placing the Guthrie at the disposal of the regatta committee, and said that they desired to return their thanks to those gentlemen for the favour they had conferred land. Having embarked in commercial and upon them. (Hear, hear.) He also wished to thank the public for the hearty support they had given to the committee. In conclusion, the speaker said he hoped that the deficiency which they incurred at the previous regatts, owing to the inclemency of the weather, would be wiped off by the receipts of the meeting of 1888. (Applause.) Capt. Craig, who was received with cheers, briefly returned thanks for the souvenir which had been given to him by the committee, and assured those present that he would always treasure the gift as a memento Australasia were acknowledged by the Em- of their pleasant meeting at the Balmain Regatta during the Centennial year. (Cheers.) Cheers were also given for Mr

Ceylon, His Excellency the Governor said :- I will only say a few words in standing by itself and having no relation with any other place. I do not think there would be any hesitation on the part of any member of Council now sitting here to keep in force the ordinance which now exists. But Caylon is only part of a great wholeof a great Empire, and the troops for whose benefit, chiefly, this ordinance was passed are the troops of that Empire, and are stationed in all parts of the world. So long tained in the adjoining perinsula of India it was possible to maintain it here. Personally I agree with my hon. f iend who has pointed out the great difference between the condition of life in the East and in the West of Europe, and, so long as India was excepted in the repeal of this law, it was perfectly possible to maintain it in existence here also, although it might have been said that the reasons for its existence were stronger in India than here, as indeed they are on account of the greater strength of the military force. But when the ordinance was repealed in India the possibility outory of the labouring classes against the of maintaining it in Coylon ceased. I have sinda, from Vancouver, left Nagasaki injustice of having their markets awamped represented as far as it was possible for me the objections existing to its reposi here. with Chinese cheap labour. His personal Those objections have been overroled, and experience tends to show him that, although it is my bounden duty honestly to success.

exception of Ceylon, have all been repealed get his wages. Jones, on searching the any obstructions to be made in the future. we are bound to submit. There are, of house, discovered several articles of clothcourse, occasions when one differs in ing saturated with blood, and which had frontier stations the Russian merchants opinion from a measure, for the passing of evidently lately been worn. In Ahmee's shall report the arrival of the same to the which instructions are given. If conscionce pocket was found the remains of the customs officials and present the invoice. is concerned one may perhaps get out of it: lime which he had used for the purpose but on the other hand, if it be a case which of blinding his victim. On being charged does not carry one to such an extreme, it is with the offence he stated 'I met Mr Sys | ravisions above specified. a plain duty to endeavour to carry out that last night and he invited me home, when policy which has been imposed upon one, we had got there he commenced to beat Now I admit the right of the British Par- me, so I used the knife." liament and the British Government to say what shall be the law which shall affect the whole Empire. Parliament in its wisdom has decided, whether rightly or wrongly it is not for me to say, as to what shall be the policy of the Empire, that policy being a policy provided for the whole Empire and not for Ceylon or any particular part of it. I bow to the decision, and will to the best of my power carry out the decisions which have been arrived at at home. I have been directly instructed to pass this ordinance

### MORE OPIUM SMUGGLING.

The case in which a boat-woman and a man of no particular employment are charged with having been in unlawful possession of some 1.400 tacks of raw opium was again before Mr Pollock this afternoon. Mr Johnson, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr Caldwell appeared for the second defendant.

Mr Johnson explained that the defeudents were charged with being in possession of raw opium in quantities less than a chest without a certificate of purchase from: a licencee. Section 4 of the Opinm Ordinance provided that licences for trafficking in raw opium in quantities less than a chest might be granted, but as a matter fact the Government had granted no licence of this kind, so that the defendants could not possibly have a valid certificate of purchase. No person except the Opium Farmer was entitled to have raw opium in his possession in less quantity than a chest. His Worship said there had been put three certificates of purchase and three papers purporting to be official export per-

Mr Callwell said that according to his instructions the latter three papers did not pretend to be official export permits. That was to say, it was not pretended that they were issued by the Superintendent of Im- to any part of Korea. The Korean local ports and Exports.

His Worship said he did not see how anybody else could issue them. Mr Caldwell said that was one of the

questions in this case.

room after being cautioned. By Mr Caldwell-To the best of my knowledge, the second defen lant was cautioned. The opium is not fit for smoking, and therefore I call it raw. I object to state where I got my information with reference to this opium.

Mok Lai Chi, interpreter, said the first certificate contained the statement ' 560 tasls of boiled opium sold to Ting Ki in Sui Hak Street, on the 4th day of the 11th Moon (6th inst.); number of ticket, 76.' The second certificate referred to '160 tack of boiled onium' sold to the same person on the same date. The third certificate contained the same statement with reference to 440 taels of opium. The cortificates were chopped with the Opium Farmer's The so-called export permits were marked 'Ho' and purported to allow Ting Ki to export a certain quantity of prepared opium. They also were chopped with the Opium Farmer's chop. '

Sergeant Butlin said he was in the charge-room when the defendants were brought in, and they did not say anything

after being cautioned. The charge room interpreter on duty at the time said the second defendant stated that he bought the opium from the Opium Farmer. He said he did not know whether the opium was raw or prepared.

At this point the case was remanded to the afternoon of Monday next.

### ATTEMPTED MURDER IN

HONGKEW.

A daring attempt to murder was com-

week. It appears that a man named Peter Sys, better known as 'French Peter,' who is at present unemployed, returned to his according to circumstances. The fine to be house, which is situated in an alleyway at imposed shall not be above 2100 Mexican. the back of Miller Road, Hongkew, about and the term of imprisonment shall not ex-12 o'clock at night. He went to bed, ceed one mouth. poon after and fell asleep. During the night he was awakened by hearing his room | allowed to travel in the interior of Russia door close, and immediately afterwards he for pleasure and trade. With the exception felt someone cutting at his throat, and at | of goods the import of which is probibited the same time something soft was thrown by the Russian Government, Korean sub-In his face. As the room was quite dark at | jects shall be at liberty to transport or trade the time, he could not see his intended in all kinds of merchandise and also to purassassin. He jumped up and grabbed the chase produce of the land. In such an would-be murderer, and a desperate event passports must be received from the struggle ensued between them, during Korean customs authorities and presented which he received seven cuts about the face to the Russian officers on the frontier to be and throat, a severe gash about three sealed or countersigned by them. Should inches long on the right wrist, three cots on the Russian local officers of the place the thigh, and the fingers of his left hand, through which they pass desire to inspect were also severely cut through while trying their passports they must be immediately to grasp the knife. During the struggle the shown. The engagement of carriages, knife fell to the floor and Sys tried to get boats or laborers to convey goods or luggage it, but could not. After struggling about its permitted. the room for some time they got on to . Art. 4.--If a Korean subject shall go the verandsh the door of which was open; beyond the limit defined without a passanother desperate struggle took place there, port and the Russian authorities disand Sys, finding himself getting exhausted cover it, he will be sent back within through the great loss of blood, called the boundary. If a Ru sian subject shall loudly for help, but before assistance came attempt to go beyond the limit withthe culprit managed to get over the out a passport his case shall be dealt with varandah and made his escape. The boy in a similar manner. then came up, and on bringing a light it | Art. 5 -In case Russians residing in was found that Mr Sys was bleeding pro- Kores and Koreans residing in Russia shall fusely from the many wounds he had re- wish to return to their own country. the coived. He however rushed off to the authorities of the respective countries shall station in his pyjamus and presented such a grant them passports permitting them to shocking appearance, as he was literally return provided no improper action can be povered with blood, that the police proved against them. thought him crazy and were going to look ! him up, but on learning the cause of his Art. L-Russian subjects shall be at injuries they cont immediately for Dr Reid liberty to trade in articles which are who quickly arrived and newed up his not expressly forbidden by this treaty. wounds. The way the criminal had gone They shall also be allowed to import into about his work suggested a knowledge of and export from King-king the produce of the house, and the police concluded that Russia, China and other countries. They the outrage had been committed by a for- | are at liberty to purchase or sell by medium

#### THE RUSSO-KOREAN OVER. LAND COMMERCIAL TREATY.

The following is the text of the recently. concluded Rosse-Korean Overland Commercial Treaty, as published in the Official Gazette of Japan, and translated by the Japun Herald :-

For the purpose of strengthening the friendly relations existing between the two countries, and for facilitating the commercial intercourse carried on on the frontier, the f llowing treaty has been agreed upon and concluded between Rus is on the one hand and Korea on the other :--

Art. 1.—Russian subjects shall be at liberty to carry on trade in the five open ports of Chemulpo, Juensan, Fusan, Scoul; (in case the merchants of other powers shall remove their firms and godowns from the last-mentioned city, the Russian merchants shall do likewise) and Yanghwachin, or a port as near this place as may be deemed

Besides the above, King-king in Kingcatao will be opened to trade with Russia. Art. 2.—The Russian Government shall appoint a Consul or Vice-Consul to reside at King-king, said Consul or Vice Consul to exercise his functions on receipt of intructions from the King of Korea or the authorization of the Government.

Art. 3.—The Consul and other officers in King-king, sent by Russia, shall receive similar privileges and immunities as are enjoyed by Contals in other open ports of Korea in all questions portaining to official

Art. 4.—The Diplomatic representative of Russia and suite, and the Consuls and Vice Consuls of that power in Korean ports, and the Boundary Commissioner and others shall have the right to travel freely authorities shall furnish passports to such officers and shall also provide them with escorts for their protection, if necessary.

SECTION II. Art. I, -Russian subjects are at liberty Chinese Sergeants and a Chinese constable | build houses or construct godowns as they went to Praya West near the P. & O. may think proper Russian officers and triangular wharf. There I saw a small people shall be at liberty to carry on resampan lying about fifty yards off the ligious ceremonies in these places. When I told one of the Sergeants to ground is chosen and arranged for conces- belmets, side arms, spears, gun cotton, and engage another sampan and see if there sion to Russians, or the rate of tax on lots other explosives such as dynamite are not was anything in the boat. He indicated to that are to be leased on an unlimited term, permitted to be imported. Besides the me that there were some packages. I then Koreans and Russian officers must meet to ordered the boat to be brought alongside discuss the subject. In future when the the prays. I saw in the boat the packages Russians shall establish a Municipal Each package contained four Council, Chamber of Commerce, etc., and tine. On examining the contents of one of also fix upon a suitable place to make a Korea shall only be allowed to carry a the tine I found what I took to be raw burial ground, these shall be arranged aconium. The first defendant gave me the cording to the Concession Regulations in six certificates produced. She said the force in the other treaty ports of Korea. opium belonged to a man whom she could Besides the above, the Russian officials point out and who had asked her to take shall form a pasturage under one Korean li care of it till he returned. She said the in length, in a vacant piece of ground which man lived in Queen's Road Central and must be within 5 ri of King-king, for feed that she could point out the shop. I put for draught animals. The contract connectthe opium in a ricksha to take it to the ed with the choice of the lot and the control Police Station. On going up Cleverly Street of the same shall be arrayged between the the woman saw the second defendant and local authorities of Russia and Korea. called out 'A Piu.' She said he was the Should animals reared in the pasturage be man who gave her the opium. Second exported as an article of trade, a tax will applied to sea-trading. defendant admitted this, and said he be levied in accordance with the rate esta-He repeated this statement in the charge- will be levied on animals for private use of those employed in the transportation of goods. The Russians shall also be at liberty to lease ground for a limited or unlimited period, or rent or buy houses beyond the imits of the foreign settlements within a radius of ten Korean li of the same. But all land so occupied shall be subject to such conditions as the observance of Korean regulations and the payment of land tax as

to go wherever they please, without passports, within a distance of one hundred Korean lifrom King-king, or within such limits as shall be agreed upon by competent officers of both parties. Russian subjects are also permitted to travel for pleasure or for purposes of trade, to transport and sell goods of all descriptions, and to purchase native produce. It shall not be allowed, however, to print and sell books in the interior which are disapproved of by the Korean Government. Passports shall be issued by the Bussian, and sealed or countersigned by the Korean authorities. The passports must be produced on demand for examination in the districts passed through, and the bearer cannot proceed without the sanction of the Korean focal authorities. The bearer shall be at liberty to procure carriages, boats or laborers for the transportation of goods or fuggage, no restraint being put upon him by the authorities. Travelling without a passport, or going beyond the limit defined in the passport, will make the holder liable to arrest, and should he commit any improper action in the interior he will be severely punished by the Russian officers to whom h mitted in Hongkew early one morning last shall be delivered. Those who overstep the limits without having a passport in their possession will either be imprisoned or fined

established by the Korean authorities.

Art, 2.—Russian subjects shall be allowed

Art. 3.—Korean aubjects will also be

Those instructions are only given in regard house of a boy named Ahmee, who had fered with in any way by Korean officers, officers of both countries. to this colony as part of the British Empire, been employed by Sys about a fortnight | The Korean Government shall permit the and as the Acts and ordinances on this sub- ago, and who had been to the station a few | construction of factories by Russians in all ject at home and in all colonies with the days ago and complained that he could not places, and it will not be permissible for

Art. 2 .- On the arrival of goods at the Art. 3:- The customs authorities shall inspect the articles in accordance with the

frontier stations shall pay duty within five sian copy. days, according to the tariff rates, and on receipt of a certificate from the customs the goods shall be considered passed.

Art. 5.—All goods exported to Korea by Russian subjects, and on which the duty has already been paid, may be taken for the interior free from any further dues whatsoever. The same shall apply to the export and sale of Korean merchandise in Russia or other countries. The owners or consignees of goods passing through Kingking from Russia or any other country shall be at liberty to claim the duty paid their reception. For such duty a certificate Russia. shall be given which may be either redeemed by the Korean customs, or will be accepted in payment of duty at a future date. Art. 7.—On Korean products purchased in Korean open ports and the interior, and on which duty has been paid for the purpose of conveyance across the Russian frontier, and which have not yet left Korean territory and are sold therein, the frontier custom house shall return the amount of on the way, the duty paid must be refunded on proof being produced of such loss having occurred.

Section IV. Art. 1.—The necessary rules for the provention of smuggling and the secret sale of morchandise shall be drawn up by the Koreau officers at their convenience and

put in force. Art, 2.—Goods passed by other means than through the frontier customs by Russian subjects will be confiscated, and the offender will be fined double the value of

Art, 3.—Russian subjects are not permitted to certify goods belonging to Koreans as Russian and thus avoid duty. Section V.

Art. 1.-Poultry, ducks and geese, suc as are used by travellers for food, agricultural implements, all precious metals (golddust excepted), gold and silver coin, instruments and books connected with chemistry, natural philosophy, astronomy, arithmetic, and medical arts, maps, pamphlets, Inspector Quincey said-At 7 p.m. on to lease land in King-king for limited or stereotype (in limited quantities), fruits, the 6th inst., I in company with two unlimited terms, or to lease, purchase or greens, trees, flowers, fishes, pumps, bags for packages, rope and lines can all be mported

Art. 2.—Prohibited goods such as opium ordnance or cannon, shot and shell, copper articles expressly mentioned above, the transportation of spirits to Russia and the export of red ginseng from Korea is strictly prohibited. (Russian subjects travelling in rifle or a pistol for their personal protection. In such cases the fact must be mentioned in the passport.)

Art. 3.—All goods imported into and exported from Korea overland, with the exception of the above-mentioned duty-free goods and prohibited goods will pay an ad valorem duty of 5 per cent. The goods. imported into and exported from the open ports by Russian merchants by sea will pay duty according to the rate provided in the ses-trade treaty. This treaty cannot be

bought the opium from the Opium Farmer. blished by the Korean Government. No tax the original value of goods either imported vatives accuse M. Floquet of meditating a or exported chall at once be reformed; should trade show signs of activity. The amount shall be decided by a conference of the Russian and Korean authorities.

Art. 7.—The trade reports and other documents to be drawn up at King-king may only be written in the Russian language. In such cases a Korean translation will be

Section VI. Art. 1.—Russian subjects and the property of Russians in Korea shall be under the jurisdiction of a Consul, Vice-Consul, or other officer sent out by Russia to assume such functions. All questions in regard to rights, whether of person or property, arising between Russian subjects in subjects of other powers, shall alike be gone into by the Eussian officers without any interference on the part of Korean

Art. 2.—Actions brought against Russian subjects in Korea by the Korean authorities or people will be tried by Russian officers of justice and decided according to

Art. 3.—Actions brought against Korean suljects by the Russian authorities and people resident in Korea will be tried by Korean officers and decided according to

art. 4. Russian subjects in Korea who shall have committed any crime shall be tried by Russian officers according to Rus-

offences whereby Russian subjects are in. The progress is highly satisfactory,

and tried according to Korean law. Art. 7. Russian goods, when seized by the Korean authorities for violating regula. tions in King-king, shall be put under the seal of the Korean authorities in conjunction with the Russian Consular authorities. and shall be detained by the former until decision shall have been arrived at by the Russian authorities. In any claims of justice and right arising between Korean and Russian applects in Korea, the Korean Government shall send a proper officer to attend when the case is being tried in the Russian courts. In the event of a case

official will be in attendance. Art. 9 .- If any Korean subject who has been accused to court of having violated the law of his land, shall secret himself in a shop, warehouse or dwelling house of a Sing has left Russia, and is now in Paris. Russian subject in the foreign settlement. or in a merchant vessel in the possession of a Russian subject, on the official communication being made be the Korean authorities to the Russian Consul. latter shall immediately take the necessary steps for the arrest of the offender, and he shall be delivered to the Korean

Art. 10.-Russian subjects who shall have been accused by other persons, and those who have violated the law of their receipt of instructions to that effect. All Nore.

Ait. 9 of this section. countries by the drafting of shipping water. and men, furty-seven women, and nighty- commission to-day, the witnesses being two approval of the colony.

vour to enforce the instructions I receive, mor boy. Detective Jones visited the of currency or barter without being inter- police rules at a conference of competent two children. Amongst the officers who ex-Moonlighters and members of the Na-SECTION VIII.

Russian text shall determine the sense.

wish is not expressed, the treaty shall con- and Portsmouth.

tinue in force for another five years. Signed, sealed and delivered by the respective officers of the high contracting parties at Seoul the thirteenth day of the seventh month of the year 497 of the founds on such goods should the latter be re-ex- tion of Korea, corresponding to the eighth ported intact within this teen months of day of the eighth month of the year 1888 of

[L.S.] THE KOREAN PLENIPOTENTIARY T. WARREN. Minister Resident of Russia in Korea.

NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

duty received. Should merchandise be lost last night with the English mail of 9th November. We take the following telegrams from our Ceylon and Indian ex- deck rule, and will have accommodation for changes:—

MR BRIGHT AND MB BALFOUR BETTER. London, Nov. 22-The condition of Mr Bright and Mr Balfour is improving. MR HARRINGTON, M.P., FINED £500 FOR

CONTRMPT OF COURT. London, Nov. 22.—Sir James Hannen has fined Mr Edward Harrington, proprietor of the Kerry Sentinel, five hundred pounds for contempt of Court in publishing an article declaring that the Parnell Commission is a creature of Government and The Times newspaper.

Mr Harrington declined the advice of his counsel to apologize. THE LAND PURCHASE ACT EXTENSION BILL. London, Nov. 23 .- The bill for the extension of the Land Purchase Act was read a second time in the House of Commons | changes :-last night by a majority of 75. Mr Parnell spoke in opposition to the bill, owing, he said, to the absence of any provision for the relief of backward tenants and the inadequate reduction in judicial rents. TENDERS FOR WORKING THE BURMA

RUSY MINES. London Nov. 23.—Government have invited tenders for working the Burma ruby mines. Six have been received; the highest will be given on Tuesday. POSPOSED INCREASE OF THE EGYPTIAN

Cairo, Nov. 23. General Dormer is of opinion that it will be necessary to increase the Egyptian Army to 16,000 men, thus ture the rebel strongholds at Suakin, crush then tranquilize the Soudan.

A COUP D'ETAT SAID TO BE MEDITATED BY M. FLOQUET. Paris. Nov. 21.—The animosity which

in France, and especially between the Lockroy's (French Minister of Public In-Boulangists and the Republicans, is be- struction) journal, Le Rappel, has advised coming serious. Charges of peculation and the creation of a regiment of Alsatians. jobbery against certain members of the Chamber of Deputies are being publish-Art. 6.—The standard rate of duty on ed, and the Boulangists and the Conser-

MR JOHN ERIGHT WORSE. London, Nov. 25.—Mr John Bright passed a bad night, and is worse.

OPERATIONS IN SIKKIM. Calcutta, Nov. 14th.—Considerable alterations are being carried out in the fort at Gnatong. The Sappers and Pioneers are making a road beyond Jalepla. The weather is bright and cold. There were 17 degrees of frost last night.

Major Maxwell has arrived and takes

command of the Derbyshire Regiment. WITHDRAWAL OF THE BLACK MOUNTAIN

Allahabad, Nov. 14th.—Orders have Korea, and all controversies occurring in been issued for the withdrawal of troops Korea between Russian subjects and the from the Black Mountain. General Mac-Queen will meet the Viceroy at Lahore. THE AMEER'S MOVEMENTS.

Allahabad, Nov 14th.—It is believed at Peshawur that the Ameer may abanden him proposed visit to Turkistan. Purwana Khan remains in administrative charge of Cabul to watch over Habibulla Khan, the Ameer's eldest son.

BRITISH AMMUNITION FOR CABUL. Allahabad, Nov. 14th .- A large quantity of Snider ammunition is being sent this week from Peshawur, to replenish the Ameer's Magazine at Cabul.

FRONTIER DEFENSIVE WORKS. Allahabad, Nov. 14.—Yesterday Sir Frederick Roberts, General Chesney, and Sir Charles Dilke inspected the defence works Art. 5.-Korean subjects who commit at the Chazibund pass and Murghi Kotal. sulted, will be arrested by Korean officers | correspondent declares them to be almost

impregnable To-day Sir Frederick Roberts left Quetts on his ten days' ride to Derajat. BIR CHARLES DILVE.

Allahabad, Nov. 18th. - Sir Charles Dilke after leaving Sir Frederick Roberts a. Peshawur his views of the frentier defences being complete,-will proposed to Kurrachee and will leave early next month on his way home, stopping some time with Sir Edgar Vincent at Cairo.

THE MISSING STEAMER 'VAITARNA.' Allahabad. Nov. 18th.—The steamer being tried in the Korean court a Russian | Neera returned on Saturday from a cruise in search of the missing steamer Vaitania without obtaining any trace or news.

RETURN OF DHULEEP SING TO PARIS. Allahabad, Nov. 15. - Mabarajah Dhuleep

THE BLACK MOUNTAIN EXPEDITION. Allahabad, Nov. 15 -The decision to withdraw troops from the Black Mountain without taking any steps against the Chagarzais, was in consequence of the representations made to General McQueen by Mr Ommany, that the tribe had committed no act of hostility.

(From London & China Express, Nov. 8.) Captain Church will be appointed Comown land, or those who have deserted from modore in charge at Hongkong, and has men-of-war or merchant vessels, shall be nominated as his secretary Mr George arrested by the Korean local authorities Whillier, Assistant Paymaster, now on the and delivered to the Russian Consul on staff of the Commander-in-Chief at the

other cases shall be managed as provided in | The troopship Himalaya, Captain J. E. Stokes, left Portsmouth on the 3rd inst. Act. 1.—Vessels of both countries on To. | She took on board detachments of the Royal meng-kiang (1) Lake (the frontier between | West Kent Regiment for Gibraltar, the King-katso and the Russian coast) shall be Border Regiment for Malta, and drafts of allowed free passage. Rules connected with | Artillery for Ceylon, Singapore, Hongkong, ferry-boats, and others vessels up and down and the Straits Settlements, the whole Further evidence in support of the charges fore be impossible to get a high-minded man will be established for the benefit of both numbering \$80 non-commissioned officers made by the Times was taken before the to accept a position that was subject to the

conbarked at Portsmouth were ;- For Hong- tional League, who swore that they had to retire from the Governorship of Queenskong, Col. C. H. Chauncery, A.P. Dep.; joined in various outrages and discussed and, but Lord Knutsford is unwilling that Art. 1.-The original text of this treaty Lieut. and Qmr. W. Parsons. O. and T. plans to shoot landlords. They had also is executed in the Korean and Russian Corps; and Sub-Insp. J. Masterton, of the destroyed sheep belonging to farmers who languages. These versions have been Education Department. The following pro- were obnoxious to the league, and had minutely compared and have one and the gramme has been promulgated :- Outward : been quite ready to commit murder if or- is the necessity for pandering to the Irish same meaning. But if any different inter- Arrive at Gibraltar on Nov. 8, leave on the dered to do so. Sir Charles Russell, in Party. It commends the Hon. D. Gillies. pretation of this treaty shall ever occur, the 19th; arrive at Malta on the 13th, leave on cross-examination, tried to show that the Premier of Victoria, for his opinion that it the 14th; arrive at Port Said on the 18th, witnesses were Fenians, but they declared does not involve the question of separa-Art. 8 -All public documents forwarded leave on the 18th; arrive at Suez on the that the members of the National League tion, nevertheless it considers it impolitic to the Korean by the Russian authorities | 20th, leave on the 20th; arrive at Colombo | and the Fenians were identical. One of the | to defy local opinion. will be translated into Chinese or Korean, on Dec. 3, leave on the 6th; arrive at witnesses swore that a secret society had Art. 4.—All goods which arrive at the being accompanied with the original Rus- Singapore on the 14th, leave on the 14th; compelled him to swear loyalty to the Irish will not, on reflection, risk the dangers of arrive at Hongkong on the 21st Home- Republic.

ward : Leave Hongkong on Jan. 2; arrive Art. 1 .- Five years from the date on at Singapore on the 8th, leave on the 10th; which this treaty shall be signed and sealed, arrive at Colombo on the 18th, leave on the will be considered as the term of its opera- 20th; arrive at Suez on Feb. 3. leave on of Commons has caused great excitement. tion. On the completion of this term either | the 3rd; arrive at Port Said on the 5th. Mr Balfour disclaimed having authorised the Korean and Russian Government may, leave on the 5th; arrive at Malta on the the arrests. A committee of the House sale to any open Korean port, or sent into on giving six months notice to the other, gth leave on the 10th; arrive at Gibraltar has been appointed to enquire into it. demand a revision of the treaty. If the on the 14th, leave on the 15th for Plymouth

Several members of the Chinese Mission now in Europe to study Western industries. &c. have been on a visit to Manchester, and viewed the eights of the city. Amongst other places they visited some of the chief spinning and weaving concerns in the district. They were also shown through Messra Watts's warehouse, the Royal Exchange. &c. On concluding their visit to Manchester they proceeded to Birmingham.

There was launched from the yard of the London and Glasgow Engineering and Shipbuilding Company (Limited), Govan, on the 3rd inst., a steel screw steamer named the Flintshire, of 2.950 tons gross. for Messrs W. J. Jenkins and Co., of Lonsions are :- Length, 314 feet; breadth, 40 Parnellites. feet; and depth, 26 feet 6 inches. She has I been built to class 100 A 1 at Lloyd's three-25 first-class passengers in saloon on main deck aft. Great attention has been given to the ventilating and sanitary arrangements, and the vessel will be lighted throughout by electricity. The steamer will be supplied by the builders with triple expansion engines, in the designing of which all the latest improvements have been adopted, and it is expected a high rate · f speed will be attained.

#### THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The s.s. Guthrie, Captain Craig, arrived to-day with the Australian mail. We take the following telegrams from our ex-

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

London, Nov. 10 .- Admiral Krantz, the French Minister of Marine, states that if Germany expends 250,000,000 marks (£12,500,000) on her navy. France will spend a like sum on hera.

London, November 12. - M. de Freycinet, French Minister for War, stated in the Chamber of Deputies to-day that until being twelve lacs annually. The decision | there was some change in the general situation in Europe it would be vain to expect the ordinary war estimate of the country to | tion in the Australian Colonies with regard and it was even necessary to make special the appointment of Sir H. A. Blake to the efforts for the defence of the country. The Governorship of Queensland :present extraordinary war budget of enabling the Egyptian Givernment to cap. 500,000,000 francs (£20,000,000) beyond Agent-General for Queensland, has informthe amount already spent did not, however, the rebellion, advance on Dongola, and indicate any aggressive intentions on the the Colonies, that strong dissatisfaction is part of the Government.

London, November 13.—The semi-official Nord Deutsche Zeitung, published at Berlin, accuses the French Cabinet of inciting war exists between the different political parties | between Germany and France, because M.

London, Nov. 14.—Speaking in the French Chamber of Deputies last night, M. Goblet, Minister for Foreign Affairs, stated the European situation was such as to require every vigilance on the part of France, but the country was strong enough not to fear any provocation.

London, Nov. 28 - The German and Austrian press prophesy the collapse of the French Republic. The German navy has been voted

5.000,000 crowns for increasing its size and RIPUALISTIO PRACTICES.

London, November 10.—The Archbishop Canterbury has cited the Right Rev. Dr King, Bishop of Lincoln, to appear before him to answer a charge of permitting ritualistic practices.

BUSSIA AND TURKEY. M. de Giers, the Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs, in receiving Osman Pasha, who went to Russia as special representative of the Porte, expressed a hope that Russia and Turkey would enter into relations based on mutual confidence.

AUSTRALIA AND CHINA. It is semi-officially stated that the Chinese Government are furious at Australia insisting upon the same rights as other nations in dealing with China. The Colonial Office is not disposed to hurry matters in connection with the Chinese question.

THE MAHDI AGAIN. A report has reached Tripoli that 70,000 followers of the Mahdi made an attack on Wadai, and were at first repulsed, but eventunily succeeded in capturing the place, after sustaining a loss of 3 00 men. [Wadai, or Wady, is a country in the interior of Africa, forming part of the exten-

sive region known as the Soudan. It is situated immediately to the southward of the Sahara desert, and adjoins the nominally Egyptian province of Darfour.] THE CRISIS IN SPAIN. London, Nov. 11.-Senor Canovas was mobbed in Madrid yesterday by a number university students and Radicals. He

ed not so much against himself personally as against the monarchy. THE AUSTRIAN EMPEROR AND THE CZAR. London, 15th Nov.-The Austrian Emperor refuses to meet the Char until he withdraws the Russian troops from the

leclares that the demonstration was direct-

Austrian frontier. SACKVILLE WEST ASKED TO RETURN. London, 24th Nov.-The Republicans carried a vote by a majority of four, for the

return of Sir L. S. Sackville-West, British minister at Washington. London, 28th Nov.-Sir L. S. Sackville-West has returned to his post as British Ambassador at Washington.

BALFOUR AND GLADSTONE. Mr A. J. Balfour, Secretary for Ireland, vigorously denounces Mr Gladstone and his philo-Irish utterances.

THE WREST OF THE THEODOR RUGER. London. November 14.—Further particulars regarding the recent collision in the Roglish Channel between the ship Theodor Buger and the steamer Na tes show that the captain and twelve of the crew of the Theodor Ruger were drowned.

THE PARNELL COMMISSION. London, November 13. Sir James Hann n. president of the Parnell Commission, has received a menacing letter. Sir Charles selection otherwise he would inevitably be Russell, counsel for the Parnellites, states suspected of partiality towards the ministry that he has received several similar letters. favoring the selection, and it would there-

ATTEMPT TO ABREST IRISH MEMBERS. London, 27th Nov. -An attempt to arrest Irish members in the lobby of the House

London, Nov. 10. - The-report that the Pope has issued another rescript has not been confirmed. Nov. 18.—Sir John Gorst has refused the

Governorship of Newfoundland. The Empress Victoria embarked at Flushing for a visit to England. The Emperor bade her a cordial farowell in Berlin. Nov. 20.—Henry George is in England. He attributes Cleveland's defeat to his vacillations between Free-trade and Protec-

with Honnessy amounted to £8,000; Nov. 21st .- A latter has been received from Jamieson, dated April, in which he stated that H. M. Stanley was then safe. The Land League is appealing to uno estitutional to allow the colonies to The P. & O. steamer Peshawur arrived don, for their Eastern trade. Her dimen- America for funds for the defence of the have a voice in the selection of their Go-

The costs of the Times in the libel action

The Pope is issuing an encyclical letter, urging a general disarmament. Leopold, king of the Belgians, is alarmed at the European situation.

Chili has annexed Easter Island. London, Nov. 26.—It is estimated that | Parkes' speech on the question is worthy of the expenses of The Times in the Parnell | the dignity and importance of the subject, action will reach £100,000. The Irish sub- and that it would be impossible to intimate scriptions towards a similar fund for defray- in more respectful and less irritating langing Parnell's expenses have reached uage the wish of the colonies on the subject

The police deposed that the Irish Land League offered £5: 0 for shooting bailiffs. It was stated before the Parnell Commission that the present state of affairs in Ireland is ruining everybody.

Madame Boulanger is applying for a divorce from her husband. It is stated in political circles that Russia is greatly excited at the attitude of Gor-

opening of the Reichstag was of a pacific fident that judicious delay will promote character. In it he thanked England for settlement, The Hon, D. Gillies is quoted her assistance at Zanzibar. The Pope again threatens that he will leave Italy.

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF QUEENSLAND. THE AGITATION FOR CONSULTATION IN THE COLONIES.

We give below a few telegrams from Australian papers with regard to the agitafall below 550, 00,000 francs (£22,00),000), to the nomination of Governors raised by London, November 8 .- Mr T. Archer, ed Lord Knutsford, Secretary of State for

> Arthur Henry Blake as Governor of that London, November 9.—The Daily Chronicle of this morning, commenting on the protest of the Queensland Government against the appointment of Sir Arthur Henry Blake to the Governorship of that colony, says that the Colonial Ministry had a right to be consulted in the matter, and

> the refusal of such a reas nable request may hinder Imperial federation. The Pall Mall Gazette to-day, referring to the Queensland Governorship, says that the appointment as colonial Governors o persons distrateful to the colonists will tend

to promote the Separatist movement. London, November 10.—The Standard save that in the appointment of the Queensland Governor the Colonial Office has exhibited the want of tact which it has so frequently manifested in its dealings with the young, spirited, and highly sensitive colonies. In the long run the colonies will not consent to be wounded and thwarted when they consider that their feelings ought to be consulted.

The members of the Liberal and Parnellite parties, influenced by the record of Sir Arthur Blake's career in Ireland, will raise the question of his appointment to the Governorship of Queensland in the House of Commons on Monday.

London. November 12. - A communicated article published in the Times to-day urges that Sir Henry Arthur Blake should be sent to some Crown colony, and an acknowledged leader of public affairs or a leading colonial Governor be appointed to the Governorship of Queensland It is thought probable that Sir Henry

Blake, Governor of Newfoundland, instead of being sent to Queensland, will exchange places with Sir John Pope Hennessy, Governor of Mauritius. In reply to a question by Mr H. C. E. Childers in the House of Commons to-day, Baron Henry de Worms, Under Secretary for the Colonies, stated that her Majesty's Government had decided to ask Sir Thomas

M'Ilwraith to state the grounds of his objection to the appointment of Sir Henry Arthur Blake as Governor of Queensland November 14th, Sir John Goist, secretary of the India Office, in replying to Mr Henniker Heaton, stated that he received a request from South Australia yesterday. that was similar in tenor to the Queensland demand to be consulted in the choice of a Governor, and that it had not yet been

replied to. The St. James' Gazette urges the cancellation of Sir H. A. Blake's appointment. Truth enlogises Blake, but considers that the Government cannot pesaibly insist upon making an appointment in direct disregard

to the wishes of the colonists. Baron de Worms, in reply to Mr Childers, he said that South Australia had been informed, similarly to Queensland, that although the Imperial Government were anxious to consult the colonies on all anbjects in which they were interested it was impossible to do so in the appointment of

The New South Wales Legislative Assembly has carried a motion—' That a petition be presented to the Queen recommending a high standard for Colonial Governors. and that the colonies be consulted before an appointment is made.

Mr Buchanau's amendment, favouring immediate separation, was received very unfavourably by the House, and was emphatically negatived. 16th.-Lord Knutsford's depatch to Sir Arthur Blyth reiterates the statement made

to Queensland vs the appointment of Co. Ionial Governors, and add ., that, apart from his Imperial functions, the Governor of a estony occupies a position which precludes the local ministry from baving a voice in his

Nov. 17th. Sir H. A. Blake is willing he should do so.

The Times says that Queensland's reasons

The Economist thinks that Queensland Separation for the sake of the Irish, and that Sir Thomas McIlwraith is attempting to reduce the colonies to the position of

19th.-Lord Carnaryon in a letter to the Times, deplores the rough tone adopted by Sir Thomas McIlwraith, and the self-assertion of the colonies. He considers it impossible for Lord Knutsford to concede the right asked for. He culogises Sir H. B. Loch and Lord Carington, and hopes that the incident will be terminated promptly. Mr Henniker Henton, M. P., defends Sir Thomas McIlwraith in the columns of

the Times. The French-Canadians are agitating to secure a voice in the nomination of their Governora Nov. 21st, -- Sir H. A. Blake is at Queenstown, he is prepared to proceed to Queens-

land if required to do so. He is confident that he can live down all hostility, and that the opposition already exhibited will not be allowed to bias his political action in the slightest degree. Earl Dunraven considers that it would be

vernors, and that to allow them to do so would be tantamount to separation. Lord Knutsford said that he intends to adhere to these doctrines, and had replied to Adelaide to that effect on the fifteenth. 24th, -The Standard says that Sir Henry and that the Government will find it necessary to comply with the conditions so temperately advanced by the Governments of

Sydney and Adelaide. The Daily Chronicle considers the request to be very reasonable, and that the colonies are entitled to the same consideration as is shown to foreign powers when appointing Ambassadors.

26th, -The Times hopes that Sir H. A. Blake's success in Newfoundland will The Emperor William's speech at the disarm Queensland's opposition, and is conin opposition to Sir Henry Parkes, and it is further stated, while Sir T. McIlwraith's objections are somewhat incoherent Sir Henry Parkes' arguments are intelligible. but that if adopted they would in effect reduce the union of the mother country and the colonies to a complimentary connection. Nov. 28th It is understood that the Cabinet has agreed that Sir H. A. Blake resigns Queensland, but they decline to disclose privately the name of his successor. They are willing to consider later the opinions of the colonies on the question of the appointment of Governors.

Lord Knutsford stated in the House of Lords that Blake had resigned. He spoke enlogistically of him, and stated his belief that the opposition had arisen through

felt in Queensland at the selection of Sir Lord Derby endorsed his remarks and concurred with the feeling that it is impolitic to attempt to resist prejudice no matter how unfounded. Sir H. A. Blake's resignation was announced in the House of Commons, and

received with derisive cheers by the The discussion in the House of Lords on the Blake question, showed that there is an uneasy feeling lest the colonies should take up the separation question seriously. The Cabinet have decided to consult the Colonial ministries before making appoint-

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ments of Governors for the colonies.

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. f. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.

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Stamors Marseilles, &c. To-morrow 19th inst. Arabic Brit. str. 4378 Dec. San Francisco 20. & O. S. S. Co. 5 Jardine, Matheson & Co. K'loon Donb Chow-chow-foo ....... Wendt............Ger. str. 796 Nov. 30 Melchers & Co. Newchwang str. 648 Dece 11 Butterfield & Swire Douteros...... | c | Iwersen ...... | Ger. 18th inst. str. 1197 Dec. Singapore 1 Ed. Schellhass & Co. 15th inst. 5|Yuen Fat Hong Amoy & Manila To-morrow 482 Dec. 9lBrandao & Co. 18th inst. 674 Dec. 91)ouglas Steamship Co. Swatow Guthrie ...... 5 c Crisg ...... Brit. str. 1700 Dec. 19th inst. Sydney 11 Russell & Co. Haiphong ....... 5 h Harris ...... Brit. str. 1122 Dec. 10 Douglas Steamship Co. Hever ...... 3 c Detlefsen ..... Ger. str. 388 Dec. 4 Siemssen & Co. Nagasaki To-morrow Marie ...... 3 h Hundewadt .. Ger. str. 9 A. R. Marty 13th inst. Milke Maru ....... 8 h Pyne ....... Japan. str. 2080 Dec. Kutchinotzu 7 Mitsui Bussan Kaisha 18th inst. 11 Douglas Steamship Co. Coast Ports 339 10 Hop Hing Hong Ningpo ....... 3 h Schultz ....... Ger. str. 762 Dec. 11 Siemssen & Co. Shanghai str. 2136 Dec. 10P. & O. S. N. Co. Swatow & Bangkok Phra Chom Klao ...... 3 c Fowler ....... Brit. str. 1012 8 Yuen Fat Hong Chefoo & N'chwang str. | 875 | Nov. Pilot Fish ...... o h Stopani ...... Brit. tug. 161 Sept. 27 H. K. & W. Dock Co. Hoihow, &c. To morrow str. 313 Dec. 13th inst. Thyra 3 c Jacobsen Ger. 5 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Negasaki K'loon Dock Hoihow. &c. 10 Wieler & Co. 13th inst. Shanghai 9 Butterfield & Swire Sailing Vossels 1 Wieler & Co. 5 Eduard Schellhass & Co. the name of THE HONGKONG AND H. G. Johnson ....... 5 c Colby .......... Amer. bqe. 1027 Oct. 26 Russell & Co. STRAITS SETTLEMENTS SOLDIERS Norway ........... 3 h Albrethsen ..... Norw. bqc. 657 6 Wieler & Co. Raphael ..... 5 c Harkness ..... Amer. 6h. Velocity ...... 3 c Martin branches of H. M. Forces now serving or Wakefield ........... 5 c. Crowell ............ Amer. bqe. 842 Nov. 12 C. M. S. N. Co. 366 Nov. 20 Gilman & Co.

## Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

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Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. R. Blair Maconochie	Chelmulpo
Audicious	twin-screw battle-ship	6010	10	4830	Capt. John B. Warren	Singapore
Dockshafer	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	LieutCom, Ed. E. Maxwell	Newchwang
Uonstance	cruiser 3rd class	2380	14	2590	Capt. L. O. Keppel	Yokobama
Cordelia	cruiser 3rd class	2380	10	2420	Captain Henry H. Boys	Yokobama
ńsk	g-b-, 3rd class coast defence	363	3	240		In reserve
Espoir.	gunboat 2nd class	465	4	470	Lievt. Com. Reginald Y. Smith	Canton
Firebrand	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	LieutCom. Denison	Hongkong
Heroine	craiser 3rd class	1420	18	1130	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Shanghai
Impérieuse#	twinscrew battle ship	8400	10	1((00	Command William H. May	Hongkong
Leander	cruiser 2nd class	4300	10	5500	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
Linnet	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	Hengkong
Merlin	gunboat 2nd class	430	`4.	450	Lieut. Com. W. M. Maturin	Hongkong
Mutine	aloop .	1130	10	1120	Commander J. H. Martin	Shanghai
Porpoise	cruiser	1730			Commander R. W. White	Hongkong
Rambler	surveying vessel	830	3	690	Commander W. U. Moore	Shangkai
Rattler	gunboat lat class	715	6	1200	LieutCom. W. Maitl. Dougall	On a cruise
Sapphire	cruiser 3rd class	1970	12	2360	Captain W. C. Earalake	Singapore
Satellite	cruiser 3rd class	1420	8	1400	Captain T. P. W. Nesham	Yokohama
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150		_		Hongkong
Swift	gun-vessel 2ud class	758	5	1010	Com. Richard Bingham	Bandakan
Torpedo Boat No. 3	. 1	95	_	<b>—</b>	Lieut. Com. A. D. Davenhill	Hongkong
Torpedo Boat No. 3		85	<b>—</b>		LientCom, Webber	Hongkong
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	14		Commodore Maxwell, A.D.C.	Hongkong
Wenderer	sloop	925	4	750	Commander Geo. A. Giffard	Singapore
Wivern	coast defence ship, armoured		4	1450		Hongkong

\* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, K.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

## Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

	Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where al.
	Abtao	Chilian gunboat	1015			Captain Fernandez	Amoy and Amoy
	Aleout	Russian gunboat	800		<u> </u>	Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
Ţ	Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908	-	<del></del> .	Captain D. E. Zuinaga	Manila
	Aspic	French gurboat	470	4	450	Commander Rupe	Nagasaki
А.	Aurora	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	1430			Captain Franz Muller	Whampoa
· **	Bobre	Russian cruiser	3100		ļ	Captain Menschicoff	Nagezaki
	Brooklyn	U. S frigate	3900	14	1200 -	Flagship of Admiral Chandler	Nagasaki
. '	Comete	French gunboat	475	4	450	LieutCommander Martal	Quahon
·i	Dmitry Donskoy	Russian frigate	6000		l —	Captain N. Scrydloff	Nagasaki
	Essex	U. S. corvette	1375	6	900	Commander Jewell	Shanghai
- /	Fasana	Austro-Hungarian frigate	1900			Capt. E. Von Wohlgemuth	Manila
. '	India	Portuguese transport	1200			Captain Gugano	Macao de la composición dela composición de la composición de la composición de la composición dela composición dela composición dela composición de la composición dela composición dela composición del composición dela
	Iltis	German gunboat	489			Captain Eickstedt	Chemaipo
		U. S. cruiser	1900			LieutCom. Wises	Singapore
	Juniata	French gunboat	485	4	425	Captain Neuy	Touron
	Lutin	Spanish gunboat				Capt. J. M. Padriann	Manila
	Manila	U. S. corvette	1900	7	1170	Commander Dye	Shanphed was and
:	Marion	U. S. sloop	1370	6	1470	Lieut. Com. Henry Glass	Xokobama
:	Monocacy		455	7	60	Commander Moltsoff	Cores
	Mordj	Russian gunboat	1330	9	250	Captain Zarine	Nagozaki
	Nayezdink	Russian cruiser	2400	12	1150	Capt. McKair	• Shanghai
	Omaha	U. S. corvette	420	6	500	LieutCom. Craig	Kobe
pli∗	Palos	U. S. gunboat	340		-	Captain M. Foret	Shanghai
	Parseval	Franch gunboat	540		420	Lieut. Commander Fourest	On a cruies
L y	Pluvier	French gunbeat	2200	15	2270	Captain Veron	On a cruise
•	Primauguet	French cruiser		40	2210	Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Macao
	Rio Lima	Portuguese gunbost	640			Ceptain Avellen	Singapore
	Rynda	Russian corvette	3500		1000	Commander Subtrieff	Cores
,	Sivotch	Russian ordisor	900	1 1	60	Commander Boyle	Japan
Ω,	Schol_	Russian gunboat	455	- 1		Captain Kohlhauer	Bingstore
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	Tureans	Brench frigate	5880	12	4250	Control The Control of the Control o	Yokohama
<del></del>	Vestnik	Russian corrette	1330	· [ :	105	Captain Lang	A Company of the North Control of the
	Vipere	French gunboat	480	4	425	Commander Marolles	Harphong
· .	Vitias	Russian corvette	2950	12		A TOUR CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPE	Amoy
ς.	Vostock	Russian gunboat				Commander Molehousky	Washirestork
L		German granhest	RR4	6	840	Ceptain Credner	Cabron
ons,	Zilveren Kruis	Dutch corvette	2310	- <del></del>	845	Captain Toekes	On e errise

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